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Via First Class Mail and FAX: 202-219-3923

Re: MUR 6054 – Designation of Counsel Statement and Request for an
Extension of Time

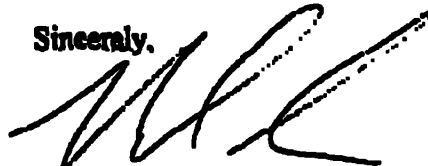
Dear Mr. Jordan:

Enclosed please find a designation of counsel statement authorizing me to act as counsel for Carlo Bell in the above-numbered action.

The complaint in MUR 6054 was served upon Mr. Bell on December 22, 2008 and I was formally designated as counsel on December 23, 2008. As you know, 11 C.F.R. § 111.6(a) provides that a respondent may file a written response to a complaint within 15 days of receiving it. Since Mr. Bell was served on December 22, 2008, a response is due on January 6, 2009.

Mr. Bell received this complaint right before the Christmas and New Year's holidays. Because of the holidays, I was out of town and witnesses who have direct knowledge of the events alleged to have occurred in the complaint have not been available. As a result, I will not have sufficient time to prepare and file a written response by January 6, 2009. Accordingly, I respectfully request an extension of time of 30 days until February 4, 2009 to file a response to the complaint in MUR 6054.

Sincerely,



Melanie Sloan

Encl.

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STATEMENT OF DESIGNATION OF COUNSEL
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MUR# 6054

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The above-named individual and/or firm is hereby designated as my
counsel and is authorized to receive any notifications and other communications
from the Commission and to act on my behalf before the Commission.

12/23/08

Date

[Signature]
Respondent/Client Signature

Title

RESPONDENT/CLIENT
(Please Print)

Carlo Bell

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